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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

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: GROUP ART UNIT: 1753

NEW CONTINUATION OF  
SERIAL NO: 09/011,749

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: EXAMINER: VERSTEEG

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FOR: TARGET AND PROCESS FOR ITS  
PRODUCTION, AND METHOD FOR  
FORMING A FILM HAVING A  
HIGHLY REFRACTIVE INDEX

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

— ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the application identified above as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claims 1-11 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter  
therein.

Please add new Claims 12-36 as follows:

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